

July 31, 1875

The 17th pres. of the U.S. Andrew Johnson, died in Carter Station, Tenn., at age 66.

1875

Egypt adopted the Gregorian
Cal.

1875

Canal Ring

Corrupt group of politicians
and contractors involved in
repair contract work for Erie
Canal, exposed by Gov. Samuel
J. Tilden (Feb 9, 1874 - Aug 4, 1886)

1875

Jan. 1st.

America

Hebrew Union College opened
in Cincinnati

1875

Crookes Radiometer inscribed
by English physicist
Sir William Crookes (1832-1919)

Aug. 25, 1875

1st English Channel

British Captain: Matthew Webb
(Jan 18, 1848 - July 24, 1883)

swam across English Channel
from Dover to Calais in 22 hours
to become 1st to accomplish
this feat

1875

The telephone was invented

June 1875

Quannah Parker finally
led his people to a reservation
in June 1875

1875

The Farmers' Alliance began
in Texas in 1875